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Gettysburg Compiler. Tuesday Evening, Sept. 7, 1886. TOWN AND COUNTRY. LOCAL FLAMES.—LARRY extension next Friday. The "big dogs" ended on Wednesday. Large fireman's convention from Westerners, Round Top today. The York county Democrats will nominate today. The Democratic Senatorial Conference will be held at Holly Inn tomorrow. Tuesday night's earthquake shock was felt in all parts of this town and county. Over one thousand tickets were sold here for the Grange's Pic-Nic. And greatly numbers, each way, extended the trip from the Grove to the Gettysburg battlefield. The balloon that ascended at Hanover landed near East Berlin, on Saturday. Troupers natives for sale at this office. Just the thing for the fourth page. A hundred and fifty years ago it was something of a Gettysburg. The Marine Band will go to Pennsylvania, with the Lutheran delegation from Washington, tomorrow. The U. S. and C. R. R. stockholders have voted to increase the capital stock from \$800,000 to \$2,000,000—which means a new era. Cashier J. Emory Bell and wife have returned from an extended tour of the seashore and eastern cities. Woods Meeting at Millers next Sunday. Mr. John A. Wierman, Hanover township, has changed his barn and other improvements. Mr. Jacob H. Wierman, of Bensenville, who is in the 21st Pa. Cav., gets an increase of \$2 per month pension from May 10, 1862. D. S. Ruffenberger and David Brown, near Hanover, have lost a good cow from clover drench. S. K. Poult, Esq., of Washington township, recently lost eleven head of hogs by cholera and W. B. Brandon thirteen. One young fellow, near Smith, at Mount Rock, again remembers us with a liberal present of very fine apples and tomatoes. The New Oxford, P. O. S. of A. will have a "big day" on Saturday, Sept. 18. Mr. Conrad S. Alwine, near New Oxford, has grown a tomato 8 pounds. Littlestown has two persons over 85, three over 80 and fifty over 70 years. Miss Emma L. Shaffer, of Oxford township, has finished a quilt of 7,500 pieces. It is now lawful to shoot squirrels. But they are scarce, and most of them poor meat anyhow. Mr. Wm. L. Olinger, of Bannockville, reports 45 full growing snailshells on one stalk. Go—Go to Luray next Friday! It is a grand day. These parties who took away the wrong buggy from the Globe Hotel, Gettysburg, on Thursday, the 21st inst., will please return same at once, before further proceedings. Pic-Nic.—There will be a picnic at the Hill Church on Saturday, Sept. 11th. Let there be a good turn out. J. M. MINNIE. We are prepared to show New Goods just received, among them are one yard wide Tread Cloths at 50 cents; Home Sewing Machines at 25 cents; Electric Gossamer at \$1.00; J. L. SUTTER, 725. NEAR SWEET! It is a bad habit. But you need not to you have a Buckeye Grain Drill with glass plunger attached. It won't rust and stick fast every time you stop sowing a day or two. You can get one at J. D. W. HANLEY & SONS. Why not our famous boys and girls go to Luray on Friday? It is the grandest. Give on the continent. NEAR LITTLESTOWN, on Sunday week, Mr. Granville Hammer accidentally slipped and fell upon a buggy wheel, causing internal injuries from which fatal consequences were the result. The patient was killed to the east and his incident is reported doing well. S. G. COOK, intending to quit the grocery, will sell his goods at auction on Saturday, September 10th, at 11 o'clock. Mr. EMANUEL PLANK, proprietor of the Holly Hill, on Main street, formerly known as the Holly Hill, and the best and highest grade of flour I ever had in my life, which has been in use for forty-eight years. For Luray Caverns on Friday next! Leave Gettysburg at 7 in the morning and return at 11:30 at night, with round-trip tickets \$3.75, children \$1.90. PAIDERS, got you? Phosphates at the bottom of the world. The best and highest grade of phosphate, in the market, may be found there, at farmers' prices. HARRY BECKMAN, on Tuesday night, the barn of Henry Dunsen, in Pennsylvania township York county, was destroyed by fire, with its contents of grain and hay. The live stock and farming implements were saved. The origin of the fire is unknown. Insured in the Dover Company. WASHINGTON, very fine in Adams county, by a few stacks of corn and wheat. W. HANLEY & SONS. Now Open. THE RECEPTION OF GUESTS. HENRY YINGLING, Proprietor. MARSH CREEK, near the Western Mill, Sunday, Sept. 11, 1886. Dress and Staying Bards. A BANK in what McConnelbush has long been wanting and is now to have LURAY next Friday! Everybody should see the magnificent sights. CAYUSA LAND (Pond) (80 per cent. pure gypsum) at J. D. W. HANLEY & SONS, in grain bags, at 80 per cent. The famous Gold Dust Phosphate is hard to beat. Try it! J. M. MINNIE. A. TAYNOR, Gettysburg. NEWSPAPER ARCHIVE



